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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: MARTIN A. COTTON

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For: **NON-CIRCULAR MICRO-VIA** ✓

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3)

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action of 03 October 2001 for three months from 03 January 2002 to 03 April 2002. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$460.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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